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Pryor Horses to be Featured in Internet Adoption

Wild horses from the Pryor Mountains will be featured in a special internet adoption later this fall. The adoption will focus on Spanish-type wild horses from the Sulphur wild horse range in Utah, the Kiger range in Oregon, and Montana's Pryor Mountain range.

The Bureau of Land Management has been holding internet adoptions for the past few years, and the effort has been well-received by adopters. Information on the internet adoption will be posted on the BLM website in late September. Bidding for the adoption will start October 29 and continue through November 20. More information on the internet adoption can be obtained at: <http://www.adoptahorse.blm.gov/>

The BLM will gather from six to twelve young stallions from the Pryor herd September 24-26. The horses will be held at BLM's Britton Springs facility, at the base of the Pryors, for about a month. While there, the horses will receive vaccinations and health checks prior to the adoption and will also be available for public viewing. At the end of October, the animals will be shipped to the Elm Creek, Nebraska, facility to await the results of the internet adoption.

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